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Via ECFS

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Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, SW Washington, DC 20554

Re: Ex Parte Filing of Illinois Attorney General Lisa Madigan on Restoring Internet Freedom, WC Docket No. 17-108

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On December 13, 2017, I delivered via email the attached letter to Chairman Ajit Pai, and a copy to Commissioners Carr, Clyburn, O'Reilly, and Rosenworcel. This letter concerns the Commission's receipt and treatment of Public Comments in this proceeding, the Attorney General's concern that public confidence in the FCC's Comment Process has been undermined; that a full investigation by law enforcement is needed; that the FCC must take steps to ensure that its comment process is more secure; and the Attorney General's request that the vote in this proceeding be delayed.

I also delivered to Commissioners Carr, Clyburn, O'Reilly, and Rosenworcel the attached letter to FBI Director Christopher Wray, urging the FBI to investigate the source of fraudulent comments submitted in this docket.

Anna Crane of my office contacted the office of the Chairman's Chief of Staff by telephone on December 13, 2017 to obtain email addresses and to inform the office that the letter would be delivered. The letter to Chairman Pai was delivered via email shortly thereafter.

The letters to Chairman Pai and to FBI Director Christopher Wray were delivered to Commissioners Carr, Clyburn, O'Reilly, and Rosenworcel via email on December 13, 2017. Staff from Commissioner Clyburn's office confirmed receipt of the letter via email.

There was no other contact or oral discussion in connection with the delivery of the attached letters.

This letter is being electronically filed with the Commission pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules.

Respectfully submitted,

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